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TIME TABLE:

Between BOWIE and GLOBE.
Time Card No. 20, cancelling Time Card No 19.
Taking effect May 1st, at 6. a. m.
MOUNTAIN TIME.

No. 11.				No. 12
9:00. a.m	Lv	Globe	‡	Ar 5:15 p.m
9:40. a.m	Lv	Cutter	‖	Ar 4:30. p m
9:52. a.m	Ar	Gilson's	‡	Ar 4:10 p.m
10 17. a. m		Rice ‖		Ar 3 35 p m
10 52. a. m	Ar.	San Carlos	Lv.	2 50 p. m
10 57. a. m	Lv.		Ar.	2 40p. m
11 30. a. m		Dewey ‡		2 00 p.m
12 15. a. m	Ar.	Geronimo	Lv.	1 15. p.m
12 45. a.m	Lv		Ar.	12 45. m
1 05. p.m	Ar.	Fort Thomas ‖	Ar.	12 20m
p.m	Lv.		Lv	p.m
1 40. p.m	Lv.	Mathewsville ‡	Lv	11 45. am
1 52. p.m	Ar.	Pima ‡	Lv. Ar	11 25. am
p.m	Lv.		Lv.	
2 05. p m	Lv.	Central ‡	Lv	11 15. am
2 15. p.m	Lv.	Thatcher ‡	Lv.	11 05am
2 25. p.m	Ar.	Safford ‡	Lv	10 45. am
2 35. p.m	Lv.		Ar	10 25. am
2 55 p.m	Ar.	Solomon ‡	Lv	10 07 am
3 00. p.m	Lv.		Ar	9 57. a m
3 30. p.m	Lv.	Rail N Ranch ‡	Lv.	9 29am
3 50. p.m	Lv.	20 Mile Tank ‡	Lv	9 12. a m
4 00. p.m	Lv.	Bailey's Wells ‡	Lv	9 05. am
4 40. p.m	Lv.	Summit Spur ‡	Lv.	8 45. a.m
5 15. p m	Ar.	Bowie ‡	Lv.	8 15. am

Trains Nos. 11 and 12 run daily except Sunday, making close connections at Bowie with Southern Pacific trains both East and West and with stage lines at Globe to Payson, Upper Salt River Valley, Riverside and Tonto Basin.

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‡ Stations have no agents.
‖ Telegraph Stations
The Company reserves the right to vary this schedule as circumstances may require.

WM. GARLAND, President.

Arizona and N. M. Railway,

TIME TABLE:

Going North	Distance from Lordsburg	No Station	Time table No. 11 Jan. 1. 1899	Distance between stations	Going South
No 2					No. 1
12 00 m		1	†Lds'burg‡		10 20a m
1 00 p m	30	2	†Summit †	20	9 20a m
2 00 p m	40	3	Ar Duncan†	20	8 20a m
2 10 p m	..	..	Lv Duncan‡	..	8 10a m
2 35 p m	47	4	◦† Sheld'n†	7	7 45a m
3 45 p m	56	5	◦† Yorks †	3	7 38a m
3 05 p m	58	6	†Coronado †	5	7 25a m
3 25 p m	59	7	†Guthrie †	4	7 10a m
3 55 p m	64	8	◦†siding †	5	6 45a m
4 00 p m	66	9	†n Siding †	2	6 40a m
4 30 p m	71	10	Ar Clifton †	5	6 15a m

Trains run daily except Sunday
Stop on Signal † Leave ‡ Arrive.

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LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

Breezy Little Notes of General Interets Picked up Here and There.

L. P. FISHER, NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING Agent, 21 Merchants' Exchange Building, San Francisco, is our authorized agent. This paper is kept on file in his office

The Weather.

(Reported by H. P. Wightman, Voluntary Observer.)
Month of May 10th to 16th, 1899.
Station, Pima.

Date	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum	Mean.	Precipitation in inches
1	88	46	42	.....
2	93	48	45	.....
3	98	45	53	.....
4	96	53	43	.....
5	89	60	29	.....
6	88	61	27	.....
7	89	62	27	.....

Average for the Week.....71.8.

Lemons, oranges, bananas, etc., always fresh at Southlee & Austens.

Dr. W. E. Lindley, next to GUARDIAN office. tf

Chas. Faulkner and E. W. Dye are just completing residences in Safford.

Ijams & Co. have on hand a new lot of fine refrigerators. 9tf

R. S. Patterson commenced the erection of another building on his property this week.

May First—The best 5 cent cigar in town at Southlee & Austins.

Dr. Cassels reports a genuine case of heat prostration Sunday afternoon.

For sewing machines go to Ijams & Co. tf.

The contract for building the new school house at Thatcher was let to L. Watson, of Central and G. W. Williams of Pima.

Crushed corn always on hand at Z. C. Prina & Co's. mill.

District Attorney Jones left for Tucson last Monday to attend the Pima county district court to appear for Graham county in the back salary case.

Ijams & Hoback have a fine line of musical instruments of every description. tf.

Eugene Caruthers, manager of the Safford Lumber Company is erecting a lumber shed which, when completed will be 30x120 feet.

Work has begun on another two story brick business house in Safford. Dan Bell is the owner and he will occupy it with his painting establishment.

DR. CASSELS HAS JUST OPENED UP A FULL LINE OF FRESH DRUGS, HAMMOCKS, CROQUET SETS, AND NOTIONS. 11-tf.

Sam Hinton and Wm. Wills were in town last Wednesday to procure bonds in the sum of $100 or John Foreband charged with stealing government cattle.

Austin's barber shop has been under the management of a new barber this week, Mr. Austin having been sick. We are not informed whether he was love sick or not.

It makes no difference how severe the wound if you use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve; it will quickly heal and leave no scar. Safford Drug Co., H. P. Wightman, Pima. 1m

Lave Cornett has bought the Greenback livery stables, his advertisement appearing in this issue. Mr. Cornett is now engaged in making a number of improvements and proposes to run a livery stable second to none.

Deering Binder invites competition with other machines. You can test them before buying. They are positively guaranteed. R. L. Rogers, agent, Pima. 11-tf

The case of B. J. Bromley vs. Geo. Hanks which was before Judge Hunter last Thursday, was compromised and dismissed, the costs of court being paid by Mr. Hanks. Mr. Bromely was sueing for $180 alleged to be due him for wages.

Pneumonia, la grippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping-cough readily yield to One Minute Cough Cure. Use this remedy in time and save a doctor's bill—or the undertakers. Safford Drug Co., Safford H. P. Wightman, Pima. 1m

We wish to call attention to the advertisement of the Fair store at Pima, under the able management of Jos. East. Mr. East makes the shoe line a special feature and is prepared to offer great inducements in that line. He also carries ladies trimmed hats in all varieties and a general line of merchandise, selected from the very best houses, also drugs and patent medicines.

THAT ARTESIAN WATER.

Five More Wells to be Sunk at Chlarson's Lumber Yard.

The artesian well recently sunk by H. N. Chlarson at his lumber yard continues to flow 40 gallons of pure water per minute. The flow was struck just 307 feet below the surface. At a depth of 293 feet bed-rock was encountered, which consisted of 14 feet of solid sand stone. As soon as this was penetrated the water came rushing to the surface.

Mr. Chlarson sent some of the water to Chicago and had it anylized, the report showing it to be pure. Following is the chemists report:

	Parts per 100,000
Total salts in solution	61.30
Loss on ignition	0.80
Calcium sulphate (gypsum)	0.35
Calcium and magnesium carbonates	1.75
Silica	2.70
Chlorine (in form of common salt)	32.00
Alkalinity	none
Organic matter	faint traces
Nitrates	none
Nitrates as N, less than	0.0001
Borates	none
Qualitative	

A little magnesium sulphate, some potassium sulphate, and much sodium sulphate (Glauber's salts)

In Thatcher and Pima wells have been sunk deeper than Mr. Chlarson's well, demonstrating that the bed rock dips. But that flowing water can be obtained by going through the bed rock seems to be almost beyond question.

Mr. Chlarson is now sinking another well and intends sinking five more, to depths sufficiently great to obtain strong flows.

I consider it not only a pleasure but a duty I owe to my neighbors to tell about the wonderful cure effected in my case by the timely use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I was taken very badly with flux and procured a bottle of this remedy. A few doses of it effected a permanent cure. I take pleasure in recommending it to others suffering from that dreadful disease.—J. W. LYNCH, Dorr, W. Va. This remedy is sold by the Safford Drug Co., Safford, and H. P. Wightman, Pima.

On May 27th.

Look here, we have decided to sell our large stock of shoes and other goods at a price that never was offered in Safford before. On Saturday, 27th of May, 150 shoes for $1.00; 22 yards L L sheeting for $1.00, 22 yards Chievot for $1.00, 15 yards bleech for $1.00 Look at our furniture, we are selling at bed rock prices. Just think of these bargains. Try our Morning Glory flour, it is the best ever sold in the valley. Come and see our stock of goods, they are winers and good values we want your trade and to get it we must offer you the most goods for your money. Remember J. T. Owens' is the place to buy goods and get a bargain. 11-2t

Given One Year.

Jas. Wills, who was accused of stealing government cattle was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary by the U. S. Court at Florence about 10 days ago.

Mr. Wills was informed by his attorneys that the U. S. Court did not have jurisdiction in the case and went to Florence without witnesses, expecting the case to be transferred to some other court. But the motion to this effect was overruled and the case went to trial and as Wills was unprepared with any defense was convicted. He is still held in Florence pending a decision on a motion for a new trial.

Grand Lodge of Pythians.

The grand lodge of Knights of Pythias of Arizona met in Jerome last Wednesday and transacted considerable business pertaining to lodge matters. H. M. Moore, of Phœnix lodge, was elected Grand Chancellor; R. M. Ling, Prescott lodge, Grand Vice; George Porter, Bisbee, Grand Prelate; H. P. Ewing, Kingman, Grand Master at Arms. R. H. Blakely was appointed Deputy for Western lodge of Kingman. The next session of the grand lodge will be held in Globe.

The Knights of Khorrassan had a right royal time and a new lodge of the order was established.—Mohave County *Miner*.

If you have piles, CURE them. No use undergoing horrible operations that simply remove the results of the disease without disturbing the disease itself. Place your confidence in DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It has never failed to cure OTHERS; it will not fail to cure you. Safford Drug Co., Safford, H. P. Wightman, Pima. 1m

The Star Gallery will positively leave the valley June 1st.

Pima Locals.

An enjoyable surprise was given P. H. McBride on May 9th, by members of the choir. After a musical feast, in which Professors Clayden and Bowler were leading factors, refreshments were served consisting of ice cream and cake which were equally acceptable.

Commitee for the 4th of July celebration met on May 10th, to complete the program and make all necessary arrangements.

The character ball given by the Y. L. of Pima, on the evening of the 12th, was a complete success. The march at 10 p. m, lead by Judge Merrill, in the character of Uncle Sam, and his lady was grand and must have been seen to be appreciated. Mr. Gerald Merrill, as a little boy, and Miss Effie Crockett, as an old maid, captured the prizes, though there were many others deserving.

H. Weech has let the contract for the brick work of his new store building to Mr. Hopster, who is rapidly pushing the work and it is but a matter of a few weeks until Pima can boast of another handsome business building.

Charlie Solomon, the thorough business man of Solomonville, was in our town last Monday on his way home from the Hot Springs, where he had been for an outing.

Dr. Flower and a mining expert of New York City, arrived last Tuesday. These gentlemen are here in the interest of the Gila Mining and Smelting Co.

Ed McCormick, who was recently employed as clerk in the store of W. T. Webb, left suddenly for Los Angeles on the 11th, where he had been summoned on account of serious illness of his mother.

Last Tuesday was a lively day for the merchants in town. Judging from the number of traveling men congregated at the Marshall House, Pima is doing a rushing business.

Quite a number of Saffordites dined at the Marshall Hotel on Sunday last.

The Y. L. of Pima presented a musical and literary entertainment to a large and appreciative audience at Robinson's hall, Thatcher, on May 18th. The "hit" of the evening was the farce entitled "Sally Ann's Experience." Mrs Foster appearing in the title roll, was well supported by P. H. McBride, Laura Nuttall, John Nash and others.

W. T. Webb has in course of erection a large hay shed west of his store, 20x80 feet

Water! Water! Water! is the question that confronts us just at present. Unless we have rains to increase the supply at the head of the river our crops are going to suffer from drouth equally as bad as they did from the frost.

Bp. Taylor and party returned Wednesday from their trip to St. David, looking none the worse for their outing

Eden Items.

Eden, May 16th, 1899—Our farmers are a little more hopeful now as the late frost only set the grain back one or two weeks. It will not shorten the crops more than one bushel per acre. The crops look fine around here.

This is one of the finest farming communities in the valley. The land is of the best and as a rule there is plenty of water.

Justice Kempton fined John Hawkins $50 and costs for carrying a six shooter to and in a dance John says he was a tough, but is now very tender. So is Jim Gorden.

There has been so much dynamite exploded in the river this spring that the large, small and medium sized fish have gone, here as elsewhere. Can't this be stopped? If so how? [By detecting the culprits and placing them behind the bars where they belong. Ed.]

We need a telephone here badly. If we need a doctor we have to jump on a horse and go to Pima. If we want a cocktail we have to go to Pima unless Wiley Holladay happens in town. M

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Micheal Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statment, that she caught cold which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physican but grew worse. He told her that she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefitted from first dose. She continued its use and after using six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at all dealers in drugs and general merchandise. Large bottles 50 cents and $1.00.

Dr. W. E. Lindley, next to GUARDIAN office. tf.

Clifton News.

From the Copper Era.

E. R. Stafford, the county surveyor came in Monday from Safford and is now making a survey of the ground beyond Price & Co's store, for the purpose of dividing it into town lots.

Floyd Langston, a colored man was taken to the insane asylum last Tuesday by Officer Billy Hart. Langston has been addicted to the use of cocaine for several years, and the habit has wrecked him both physically and mentally.

About three days ago three cases of smallpox were discovered in Morenci. As soon as the news reached Clifton, Health Officer Hamilton took immediate steps to quarantine that town against Clifton. Two guards were stationed on the hills near the pest house, and two at the head of the incline of the Lonfellow mine. There are now nine cases in the pest house, but the citizens of Morenci are taking active measures to stamp out the disease, six men under Constable Keppler being employed who are making house to house inspection.

About three weeks ago a young man who worked as a section hand on the Longfellow railroad suddenly left without notifying his boss, William Blair. What is strange about the affair is, that at the time of his leaving he had failed to draw his pay. He was not in debt but for a small amount at the restaurant, which was paid by Mr. Blair He had just purchased a tent and cooking utensils and had started to batching in order, as he stated, to save expenses. He had never expressed any intention of quiting work to any one, nor can any information be had of any person having been seen answering his discription.

About 9:30 yesterday morning a mad dog suddenly made its appearance on the ranch of John Ward and bit some four or five dogs on the place. It then took to the hills and was shot dead by Juan Chacon at a distance of 300 yards. No person is known to have been bitten by this dog.

Last Saturday a mad dog took possession of the peach orchard located at the east end of Metcalf and bit six dogs, all of whom were afterwards killed by the people in the neighborhood. He also bit a Mexican named Francisco Viescos and his ten year old daughter. Dr. Davidson left this morning to attend them.

Last Tuesday evening a mad dog was killed at Metcalf by D. M. Gillis, but not until he had snapped several dogs in the town.

Reward.

A dark brown mare, six years old, weighing about 1300, clean limbs, heavy main and tail, somewhat kinky, main hanging on left side of neck, gentle, was lost at Thatcher on May 8th and went in the direction of Solomonville. Had halter on when last seen. No brands. Anyone finding said mare will be liberally rewarded, if they will take care of her and notify,

E. F. DALLAS, Thatcher, ARIZ.

Some of the results of neglected dyspeptic conditions of the stomach are cancer, consumption, heart disease and epilepsy. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure prevents all this by effecting a quick cure in all cases of dyspepsia. Safford Drug Co., Safford, H. P. Wightman, Pima. 1m

Notice of Sale.

Thatcher, May 12, 1899.

To the stockholders of the Union Canal Co:—Your stock which is delinquent on May 22 will be sold at public auction at Thatcher, May 27, at C. Layton's store, at 2 o'clock p. m. By order of the Board.

WILLIAM ASAY, Sec.

P. S. Parties desiring to buy water in the Union Canal will take notice.

Water Scarce.

Remember that the price of a Witcher dam can be saved in one watering on a good sized farm to say nothing of the saved water. Phillips & Kimball, of Thatcher, keep them. 11 1t

J. D. Bridge, editor and proprietor of the Democrat, Lancaster N. H. says: "I would not be with out One Minute Cough Cure for my boy when troubled with a cough or cold. It is the best remedy for croup I ever used." Safford Drug Co., Safford, H. P. Whigtman, Pima. 1m

The Valley Planing Mills just south of the depot, Safford are now ready to do all kinds of wood work, such as scroll sawing, turning, surfacing and mouldings for general house work.

Faulkner & Dye. 8-tf.

LABOR UNION.

Favors Government Control of all Public Utilities.

The Western Labor Union which met in Salt Lake City last week took a more decided stand on public questions than ever before and if the resolutions passed are carried out this organization will be greatly felt in the next National election.

The first item considered in convention was that portion of the President's address referring to government by injunction. The committee on resolutions reported on the subject that in one particular instance namely at Wardner, Idaho, government by injunction has been superseded by martial law. The resolution of the committee was adopted by the convention. A cummunication from Cripple Creek was read in relation to the indictment of fifteen men of the labor organizations at that place. The convention decided to extend such aid to these men as the executive committee should deem proper.

The subject of national postal savings banks for the benefit of the people was next taken up. It was agreed that the system of postal savings banks which has been so great an incentive to savings deposits among the people of other countries would be a good thing for the working people of the United States, and the resolution was passed favoring the establishment by the government.

On the money question the convention spoke with equal emphasis favoring the issue of money by the government alone and opposing a delegation of the important function of government to the moneyed corporations. The resolution reads:

Resolved, That the government of the United States should be the sole controller of the volume of our medium of exchange, and should establish a system of postal savings banks.

The resolution was adopted by unanimous vote.

The question of municipal owner ship of public utilities was next dealt with, and after a harmonious consideration of various phases of the subject the following was adopted by unanimous vote:

Whereas, The private owner ship of public utilities, such as the telegraph, railways and the telephone lines of the country establishes an unnatural ownership over the news furnished the public and is an unnecessary drain on the resources of the people; therefore be it

Resolved, That we believe it is the duty of the government to take possession of all natural monopolies and control the same in the interest of the people.

The matter of the establishment and publication of an official organ for use by the Western Union and the Fedrated Miners, was acted upon. It was the sense of the convention that such a paper should be established. A committee was appointed for further consideration, and a resolution was passed endorsing the project. This matter now awaits the action of the Federated Miners.

An Epidemic of Whooping Cough.

Last winter during an epidemic of whooping cough my children contracted the disease, having severe coughing spells. We had used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy very successfully for croup and naturally turned to it at that time and found it relieved the cough and effected a complete cure.—JOHN E. CLIFFORD, Proprietor Norwood House, Norwood, N. Y. This remedy is for sale by Safford Drug Co., Safford, and H. P. Wightman, Pima.

BORN.

PEEL:—On May 15th, 1899, to the wife of Benj. Peel af Safford, a son.

To the wife of Jose Marica a 12 pound boy last Saturday evening.

By allowing the accumulations in the bowels to remain, the entire system is poisoned. DeWitt's Little Early Risers regulate the bowels. Try them and you will always use them. Safford Drug Co., Safford, H. P. Wightman, Pima. 1m

Read R. L. Roger's new advertisement in to-days GUARDIAN. H. M. Jeter & Son, of Safford, also handle the Deering machinery for Mr. Rogers.

Binders, Threshers and Balers will arrive in a day or two. Phillips & Kimball. 11-1t

Postal Clerk Wild has been transferred to a run in California.

In a few days Ijams & Co. will have all size window glass up to 5 feet square. tf

Any kind of old money will get a dozen cabinets at the Star Gallery until June 1st.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

M. E. Church.

Rev. F. W. Downs will preach Sunday morning on "Letting Your Light Shine." In the evening Rev. Mr. Oglesby, of Solomonville, will preach in the M. E church in Safford and Rev. Downs will preach in Solomonville.

Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday evening at Forester's hall by Rev. Phelps.

SAFFORD TO BE INCORPORATED

The Board of Supervisors Will be Asked to Give us a Municipal Government.

Pursuant to a call published in last week's GUARDIAN the M. E. Church was filled on Monday night last with citizens of Safford for the purpose of taking steps for the incorporation of the town. Previous to the calling of the meeting the district attorney had drawn petitions according to law and had also outlined the necessary steps to be taken in the matter in order to present it to the board in proper shape.

E. D. Tuttle was chosen as chairman of the meeting and every one present evinced a keen interest in the matter under consideration. Every point was fully discussed and all were anxious to incorporate, the only difference of opinion being to boundaries. Several motions on this point were made, amended and fully discussed and finally settled. The boundaries as fixed are approximately as follows: Beginning at a point 40 rods east of the north east corner of the present town plat of Safford, thence running west to the east line of Peter Anderson's ranch, thence running south to the south side of the railroad track, thence 80 rods east, thence south to the meases, thence east to the east line of the town plat of Layton, thence north to the north east corner of the Pursley ranch, thence 40 rods west, thence north to the place of beginning.

A committee consisting of J. R. Welker, E. T. Ijams, P. J. Jacobson, W. B. Fonda and J. J. Birdno was appointed to circulate the petitions and procure the proper number of signatures, and then present it to the board for their action.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last fifteen years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's family Pills are the best.

Prof. J. Frank Fouche is preparing to present the Confederate Spy in about two weeks, supported by local talent. The play will be presented in Safford, Thatcher and Pima.

Bundles of grain never burst when bound with genuine Manila twine, but often do with common binding twine. One pound of Manila twine will bind nearly double the grain that a pound of common binding twine will. Genuine Manila twine for sale by R. L. Rogers, Pima 11-tf

James F. Johnson, wife and two children, and his brother Claudis Johnson of the state of Alabama, arrived in Thatcher last Wednesday. They expect to make their future home in the valley.

There is as much difference between genuine Manila binding twine and common binding twine as between a silk and a cotton cord. Manila twine goes 650 feet to the pound, common twine 350 feet to the pound. Genuine Manila twine for sale by R. L. Rogers, Pima. 11-tf

On last Tuesday two Mexicans got into a fight at Metcalf and one was shot and killed by the other. The murderer made his escape.

The contract for furnishing the government flour at San Carlos has been awarded the Great Western Milling Company of Safford.

Robt. H. Beers and family of San Lonie valley, Col., arrived in Thatcher on Wednesday. He will make his home in the Gila valley.

Pictures cheaper than ever at the Star Gallery. June 1st is the last day.

Blank notes and deeds for sale at the GUARDIAN office. tf.

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FRIDAY, MAY 19 1899.

The fact that artesian water was found at Chlarson's lumber yard demonstrates beyond a doubt that flowing water can be obtained anywhere along the meases.

THE insinuation of the *Bulletin* in its last issue that the votes of such men as Dan Lynch is controlled by any one is an insult to their manhood.

WE would like to inquire the reason that strawberries are shipped from Salt River and elsewhere right through this valley, the most productive in Arizona, to Globe.

IT is stated that W. A. Clark, owner of the United Verde mine at Jerome, Arizona, which produces $10,000,000 worth of copper annually, has refused to join the copper trust.

It is high time the citizens of this country began holding meetings in every city and hamlet in the republic to protest against the unholy war being waged against the Filipinos, who are fighting for liberty and the right to govern themselves, El Paso should be among the first to express herself in this matter.—El Paso *News*.

A teacher in the public schools the other day while attempting to institue the rudiments of arithmetic into her primary class said: "If your father gave your mother $7 today and $8 tomorrow, what would she have?" And the small boy in the corner replied: "She would have a fit."—Ex.

The Phœnix Herald says: "Globe is said to be one of the toughest towns in the southwest and respectable business men are leaving the place on that account." The Herald has repeatedly violated the truth about Globe. Some times it says the mines are closed and all the men laid off, and now we are too tough for respectable people to associate with. The re-"spectable people" likely referd to is a Phœnixcian who lately came to Globe to do up the boys with cards, but found no suckers here and returned to Phœnix broke. This is the business man's story as related by the Herald.—Globe *Times*.

It is the testimony of the fore most naturalist in France that if the world were to become birdless, man could not inhabit it after nine years time, in spite of all the sprays and poisons that could be manufactured for the destruction of insects. Object lessons in this direction are seen summer after summer, in the orchards brown and parched as by fire, the work of canker worms and caterpillars.

By a general movement for the preservation of the birds the face of all nature would be made more beautiful and attractive in all the vernal season and the number of damaging insects would be greatly reduced.—Logan *Nation*.

The Baltimore *Sun's* Rome correspondent writes: "On Friday, April 21, the city of Rome celebrated its 2652dd birthday. That is a respectable age, and it imbraces an immense history, which in a special manner shows the rise and fall of governments, and the experiences of all the phases that the human mind seems capable of inventing. The day was honored by the Roman municipality by the exhibition of flags on the municipal buildings, and by the holding of a special session by the German Archæological Institute, which assembles near the Palaggo Caffarelli on the Hill of the Capitol, on the site where of old stood the historical Temple of Jupiter Capitolinus.

THE WHITE MAN'S CIVILIZATION.

As a question of color it is perfectly indifferent to me whether I white, black, yellow, red or brown although as a matter of personal taste I prefer the bronzed color of the Red Indian. But in view of the present attitude of white men toward those of other colors, I am glad to have been born white.

On the west coast of Africa we whites are perpetually engaged in civilizing expeditions which consist in burning the villages of black men and firing at them. In east Africa we have in the last few months civilized some twenty thousand dark brown Soudanese off the face of the globe. The United States is carrying out the white man's civilizing mission in the Philippines by slaughtering the yellow inhabitants because they have the effrontery to wish to to be independent of American rule. In Samoa we and the Americans have been throwing shot and shell into the villages of the light-brown people in order to show the Germans that they must not be allowed to have their own way there. In China all white men are quarreling over the spoil, each being determined to show the others that every one has rights there except the yellow Chinese. All this is being done in the interest of white civilization, and so distrustful are the philanthropists themselves of each other that they are adding gun to gun, ship to ship and soldier to soldier, in case any one of them should get the better of the others in this humanizing mission.—London Truth.

The New York Journal says:

The truth is that the people have no interest in anything the Court of Inquiry may say about the beef scandal. They have read the testimony in the newspapers, and they have made up their minds as to where the responsibility rests. Not one person out of a thousand will agree with the Court of Inquiry in its condemnation of General Miles. The public has confidence in his integrity, and no faith whatever in the sincerity or honesty of his accusers. This report, no doubt, will give great personal satisfaction to the President and his Secretary of War. It was planned to do this very thing. But it will make no votes for Mr. McKinley, and it will not change the verdict of the public, which is adverse to Alger, Eagan and the Beef Trust.

The people of the Casa Grande valley have had their fill of corporation ownership of canals, and they are sick and sore and tired over the utter disregard shown for their interests by the owners as well as the courts while the canal was in the hands of a receiver. Instead of having the canal cleaned out and improved, silt has been allowed to accumulate until it carries barely half the amount of water that originally passed through it. The court was urged to authorize the receiver to issue certificates and have the necessary work done, but in its wisdom it refused the application, and the result is that almost total failure of crops stares our farmers in the face. It is true that water is short, but not more so in this valley than in Salt river, considering the amount of land under cultivation, and failure will occur there as here; but there is little consolation in this. It does seem strange, passing strange, that the rights of the people are to be forever ignored and the wrongs of the corporations are to be fostered and encouraged.—Florence *Tribune*.

THAT Arizonians are like other Americans and do not like to yield up for that hated old poll tax would appear from the following notice, which the Williams Arizona, *News* recently published; "Deputy Sheriff Johnson wants it distinctly understood that he is out clothed in the powers of his office, a long gun and a big grip, for the purpose of collecting poll tax. Neither friend nor foe, saint nor sinner, will be exempt from paying this little piece of highway robbery enacted by the legislature. Consequently, get down in your pocket-book, or see a friend and be prepared when the sheriff tackles you."

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MINING SITUATION IN ARIZONA

In discussing the mining situation in Arizona, a mining man recently said: "It is a good thing for the country fore very man to be fair and impartial in his judgment on the prospects. To be thorough mining men, buy on their own judgment but there is a great deal of what might be termed "new money" coming into the country and the men who have this are easily disgusted and no surer way exists to do it than to observe dog in the manager policy. Another mining man who came to Prescott with a view of buying a certain property, speaking on this same subject said that one would be surprised if he were to tell of the number of people who had called on him and ran down the particular property that he had in view and would recommend something that they were interested in. Being thoroughly familiar with his business he said that the reports did not bias him as he approved of rejected property soley on his own judgment and what he found in it. "There are those though who simply become disgusted and leave," he continued, "and these people do not seem to realize that in running down their neighbor's property they are hurting themselves and the territory as well." —Ex.

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The principal deciduous trees that succeed in the west are the cottonwood, box elder, Russian mulberry, silver maple catalpa, the locusts, white elm, willow, green ash, black walnut, wild cherry and bur oak. In addition to these several other well known species can be successfully grown. The hackberry, or nettle tree has a natural distribution almost as wide as that of the box elder. It grows rapidly under cultivation and succeeds very well on high land. It endures shade well at least while young, and can be used for mixing with the box elder, and other shade enduring species.

The basswood or linden is native along all the streams in the eastern part of the plains, and would doubtless be successful under cultivation where irrigation can be given. Few of our native trees have such large clean leaves, and the sweet fragrance of its flowers, combined with its luxuriant foliage and clean growth, should make it an acceptable lawn tree.

The Russian poplars and willows have been quite extensively planted as far north as Wyoming, Salix fragilis, a Russian willow has produced a great mass of branches and cannot be grown in tree form, though introduced as a forest tree. The laurel-leaved willow, where protected from the beetle, is a beautiful small sized tree that can be grown throughout the west.

The plum is one of the native trees of the west, and every farmer should plant plum pits in the margin of his shelter belt, not only for the excellent fruit which he is likely to get if he plants selected seed, but because the plum being a low bushy grower, brings the branches of his plantation down to the surface of the ground and is therefore effective in keeping out winter winds. The Nebraska choke cherry, Prunus Bessepii, and even the sand cherry can be grown in the same way, and the sand cherry, besides bringing the fine branches close to the soil, affords an abundant supply of food for birds. The tree is hardier than the Russian mulberry.

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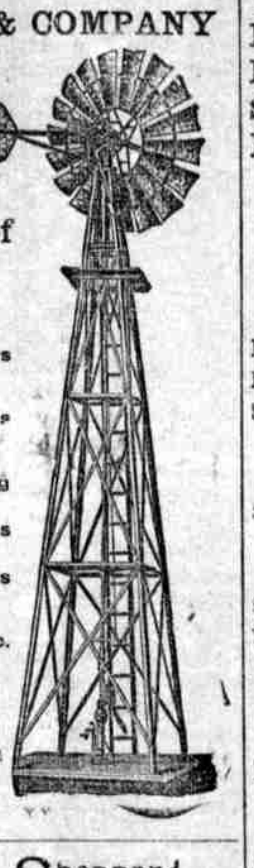

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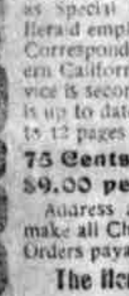

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Arizona Press Association Meet Failed of Attendance.

Solomoville, Ariz., May 9, 1899. Special correspondence to the *Citizen.*

President Garland placed extra accommodations on the Gila Valley Globe and Northern Railroad, on the run from Bowie to Globe, at the disposal of the Arizona Press Association, and those who attended availed themselves of the favor on the run to Solomonville. The Messrs. Kelly were in waiting at the station with ample stage priveleges,

A program of considerable length was outlined by the citizens of Solomonville and neighboring towns of Safford, Thatcher and Pima. After the first day's session a banquet was in order during the evening and covers were laid for fifty, which allowed for the presence of folks in town and those who were to come from Safford. The place selected was the Knights of Pythias hall. Orators had been selected and a jolly night was booked for the guests Mrs. I. E. Solomon, assisted by her daughters and lady friends had everything arranged in the most inviting form and an abundance of flowers were distributed to give the room fragrance. The fair sex devoted hours of time to make the affair one that all should remember—but, sad to relate, they were not among the chosen to attend the spread.

Tuesday morning the program consisted of a drive to Safford, a second session, lunch, and then a continuation of the trip to Thatcher, and dinner at Pima eight miles beyond. This distance is vouched for, as the writer walked it in the fall of '97. Receptions by the town councils of the last named places were programmed. Then return to Safford and a "baile," one that would draw the prettiest girls in the valley and sweethearts by the score. Wednesday was to be given up to a drive to the Lone Star Mining district, nine miles north of Safford, a promising copper mining camp being opened up by the Qualey Bros. This over, the members of the association were left to their choice of a trip to Globe or return to their homes.

Well—and again it is sad to relate—the beautiful program was as the railroaders say, annulled. Why? Because there was not a corporal's guard present, not members even to make a quorum, according to the by laws and constitution of the honorable body of pencil pushers. Horace Dunlap of the Range *News* got in ahead of time and was followed Monday by Secretary Chas. Pugh of the *Stockman* at Phœnix and G. W. Pittock, of "all over Arizona" fame who on this occasion was out for the *Citizen*, John J. Birdno of the Safford GUARDIAN, and A. D. Webb of the *Arizonaian*, same place, were on deck, likewise G. H. Kelly and his son W. B. of the *Bulletin*. Only a portion of these were actual members and those who were not evinced a willingness to be. There was nothing to do under the existing circumstances but to play quits and omit all the good things so generously offered for the gratification and comfort of the expected visitors. Geo Kelly left for Jerome to attend the Grand lodge of Knights of Pythias and Dunlap went home to write up cow news for his Wilcox hoof and horn sheet.

Thus it appeared that the "association," otherwise the "all over Arizona" man and the secretary, brother Pugh, were left as outsiders to take their chances. The first offered was entertainment as the guests of Mrs I. E. Solomon in the Hotel Solomon parlors. Games and music was the program and in entertaining Mrs. Solomon was assisted by her daughters, Mrs Julius Wetzler and Miss Lillie. Miss Bessiebelle McFarland and Messrs. Chas. and Harry Solomon and Mr. Fisher. In the morning a conveyance carried the "association to Safford where Messrs. Birdno and Webb, et al entertained until past the lunch hour. The offer of an opportunity to drive to Thatcher and Pima was declined and again a drive was made to Solomonville, where an hour was spent. To the ladies, the Solomons, the Kellys and all, the remnant of the meet owe thanks for many courtesies extended, likewise to many Saffordites.

Thus ended the conference, or whatever it may be termed. Secretary Pugh announced that President Bird had wired regrets and hoped that the session of 1900 would be held in Nogales where a trip to Guaymas was promised.

It is to be regretted that the second best agricultural spot in Arizona, the Gila valley was not generally seen. It was a case of "open door policy" with no takers. To the *Citizen* is allotted the duty of saying all that can be said of the meet that was to be of the Arizona Press association in 1899.

PITTOCK, in Tucson *Citizen*

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ARIZONA LETTER NO. 48

A trip into Graham County—General Mining Notes.

Attendance upon a meeting of the Arizona Press Association at Solomonville has enabled me to divert to some extent my attention from Pima county. I may add here that the Mining Review was the only paper of its class represented, and I found it has won favor in this section, as in fact is the case wherever it is known, being in so many of its features an Arizona publication. The brief stay I made at Solomonville and Safford did not afford me an opportunity to gather as much information as I could have wished. Yet I can present a few interesting items.

Dory Morris, a Solomonville man of good reputation, is interested in the Grahams, and has assured me that he will furnish me by mail such information concerning his promising property as will be a surprise.

Mrs. Holburn, who was paid $25,000 for eleven copper claims in the Lone Star district, nine miles north of Safford, was a passenger on the train on her way to Boston. Mr. Frank Qualey speaking of these properties said that the product, assorted ore, as shipped to El Paso during the winter frequently showed 22 per cent copper $4 in silver and $6 in gold. No ore has been shipped of late, but Mr. Qualey thought he would send out at least 500 tons during the summer. He said he was en route to El Paso to secure supplies for the camp, and perhaps purchase a 50 ton smelter. On his return he would place thirty-five men at work. A building for the smelter is in course of construction. In the course of a month he would visit Tucson. His brother Chas. is at the mines.

Judge John Blake of Safford said he and associates, all of Safford, were shipping copper-bearing ore to the Silver City Reduction Works from the "Strip" recently segregated from the San Carlos reservation. On April 1st a shipment of 31,552 pounds showed 124 ounces silver; 33 per cent copper, netting $2489.93. Five men are working the claim. The Judge shipped April 25 four and one half tons, which went 19 4-10 per cent in copper.

The Clifton district on the Frisco and Chase Creek, will be connected by telephone after October next, it being the purpose of Dr. Lacy of Solomonville and his associates to extend the Gila Valley line to the big camp.

PITTOCK, in Los Angeles *Mining Review.*

Progress in the Gila Valley.

The development of the Gila valley in Graham county is proceeding at a rapid rate. Everywhere is luxuriant vegetation, promising, bountiful crops of hay, grain and fruit. The frost of last Wednesday nipped the tops of the alfalfa and caused damage to the apricots and grapes. It was feared that the wheat had been seriously injured but events show that the damage was comparatively slight. Farm lands are advancing in value. Mr. P. Anderson, who owns one of the finest bodies of land near Safford, recently refused $16,000 cash for 240 acres. Small tracts contiguous to town are held at $300 to $400 per acre. Safford citizens discredit the idea of a boom but an extraordinary amount of building is in progress. Jas. C. Pursley and W. A. Stark are erecting fine brick residences just south of the Groesbeck hotel. Mr Holt is about completing a bank building. Mr. Ming, a late arrival from Phœnix has given a contract for a substantial building in which to open a first class furniture store. J. N Porter has bought a lot for a store building and Ijams & Co., also contemplate building in the near future. Owen's new three story brick mill is now turning out flour in large quantities. Campbell's stone store is rapidly taking shape. Within the past year, E. T. Ijams and Dr. Green have completed and occupied handsome residences and many other minor improvements are noticeable.

The flouring mills of which there are four, are an important factor in the growing prosperity of the place. Prina & Co's. mill, in which John Blake and Jas. C. Pursley are prominent owners, formerly of this valley, has had in and out since Jan. 1st sixty-three cars of grain and finished products. This mill is kept in operation day and night without getting ahead of its orders. The number of prominent citizens contributed by this valley to Safford and the surrounding district is surprisingly large. In addition to those just named we might mention W. A. Stark, T. O'Bryan, H. Dial, Geo. Todd, Ben Maurer, T. T. Hunter, Jas. Lassator, H. L. Castle, F. E. Braley F. W. Hays, the Wild family and many others.

At Solomonville there are many evidences of prosperity. W. B. Kelly and family are occupying a new residence and several other houses have been constructed or are contemplated. Business at the court house, since the good work done at the late term of court and the settlement of the district attorney problem is now moving smoothly.

There is said to be a prospect of a flouring mill at Solomonville.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Solomon were prepared to entertain twenty or thirty visiting editors and the covers were laid for a grand banquet in Solomon's hall. Those who failed to come were the losers.

Mrs. Julius Wetzler, nee Eva Solomon, with her son Sidney, has spent the last three months at her old home in Solomonville. Her husband is a prominent merchant and sheepowner of Navajo county.

The writer is indebted to Recorder Michelena for courtesies extended.—Range *News.*

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The Fertile Graham Valley.

The editors of Arizona were given the opportunity on Monday and Tuesday of this week to witness the development of the second largest body of agricultural land under irrigation in Arizona, and one of the thriftiest localities to be found anywhere, but, from the the slim attendance it would seem that the editors of the Arizona papers do not care to become familiar with the territory in which they live, and about which they claim to write intelligently for the information of thousands. Not alone are they the losers, but their patrons.

The Gila valley, or, we should say, that part of it under irrigation, begins at Solomonville and extends down the river to Fort Thomas, and the whole length of this area looks like a garden. There is not that scarcity of water noted frequently in other sections where irrigation is practiced. Another cause of the prosperity, enjoyed by the farmers there, is the small holdings of land. There are no large farms, as a rule, but each farmer has a small, well-kept, well tilled farm, free from encumbrances of any kind, and the neat, well arranged brick farm houses tell the story of prosperity and plenty.

The valley enjoys peculiar and valuable market faculities, so that scarcely any of the products of the farms go outside but are consumed at home. In the valley there are seven flouring mills, each turning out an excellent brand of flour. The latest in this line was just recently built by J. T. Owens, of Safford, and is an elegant three-story brick structure with a capacity of one hundred barrels of flour per twenty-four hours, and is fitted with the most improved machinery. These mills afford a home market for every pound of wheat grown in the valley at the highest figure.

The progress of that valley can be seen by the new business establishments going up in Safford and its adjoining towns. Banks, mercantile houses and manufacturing establishments are going up on all sides, and an air of activity pervades the whole valley.

It is truly a wonderful section, and when her mining resources are considered, and taken in connection with her agricultural possibilities, it is plainly to be seen that Graham county will soon be numbered with the most prosperous counties of Arizona.

Space forbids a more detailed description of the opportunities for home seekers and those seeking business locations in this issue, but we have stored in our memory some points which we shall publish in this, the only agricultural paper publish... territory, in future issues. We hope to be able to again visit that valley in the near future, to see more of the section which has forged ahead so rapidly since our last visit there about six years ago, and which is so susceptible of still greater improvement.—*Southwestern Stockman.*

The Business Directory.

A business directory is something that Graham and Gila counties need very badly, and Buss & Birdno, Safford's real estate agents, recognizing this fact, have determined to publish one. Every business in both counties should be represented as it will be a book of great value to all branches of trade. Willcox and Bowie being contiguous to these counties, will be included. Mr. Buss will call on you within a short time and explain the proposition.

A Convenient Device.

As a labor saving article the canvass dam is becoming very popular, the farmer can carry it with him in the field and in two seconds turn the current of an irrigating stream without moving one shovel full of dirt. These canvass dams are patented by Mr. Witcher, who proposes to prosecute anyone who infringes on his patent. The "Witcher Dam" is for sale by Messrs. Phillips & Kimball, Thatcher, Ariz. Price $2.75 and $300. 3t.

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MRS. A. ZUFELT.
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FRIDAY, MAY 19, 1899

In properly treating wife-beaters and certaian other offenders Governor Roosevelt thinks the whipping post is a good thing to tie to.

Why is it with the usual amount of water in the canals at this season that gardens in this vicnity are allowed to dry up and blow away.

The Czar's Peace Paraliment met yesterday at The Hague. Haven't heard yet whether it ended the war in the Philippines or not.

The weather report which is furnished us by Government Observer H. P. Whightman, of Pima, and which will appear at the head of our first local column each week is a feature well worth observing.

Everything is working all right for the incorporation of Safford. No opposition has developed and probably will not. At the July meeting of the Board that body will be asked to take action in the matter.

Mining men looking for good investiments are coming in all the time. There is no county in the territory with more minerals, richer or of a greater variety than in Graham, which accounts for their presence here.

In view of the fact that the Board of Supervisors found it necessary to cut the bills presented for quarantine expenses at Clifton during the small pox epidemic almost square in two will doubtless cause the bills on the present epidemic at Morenci to come in somewhat qualified.

Now is the time, during low water for the committee appointed by the board of supervisors to make an examination of the water in the river and ascertain whether or not there is acid in it. It would also be well enough for the committee, during its investigation, to examine growing crops, irrigated from the river, and learn whether there is any foundation for complaints about the water killing or injuring them.

The gold bugs and trust managers continue to howl against Bryan and declare that he is the weakest man in the nation today, that he is not the man to lead the democrats to victory. The railings, coming from the source they do is a sure indication that Mr. Bryan is the man for the democratic champion in 1900, that he is the leader for the people, and makes it almost certain that the democratic party will again honor him with the democratic nomination.

Mrs. E. D. Tuttle and Miss Mary left yesterday for Denver, Col., on a visit.

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According to program already arranged it will not be long before Admiral Dewey comes home, landing at New York, although a great effort is being made to have the great Admiral land at San Francisco and cross the continent.

Bid on the Thatcher and Solomonville school district bonds were opened by the Board of Supervisors yesterday. About 10 bids were received, the highest bidders being Crawbridge, McDowald & Nivers Co., of Chicago, to whom the bids were awarded at 7 per cent interest, they paying 8 per cent premium.

Irene Logan Killed.

Late Saturday night two of the proprietresses of different resorts in Upper Brewery gulch became mixed up in a quarrel which resulted in Irene Logan being shot by Dora Garnett.

The facts in the case are hard to obtain as all who witnessed the shooting refuse to talk, but from the evidence adduced before the coronor's jury, the Orb is enabled to give all that can be learned at this time and which is as follows:

Saturday evening about 9:30 the deceased, in company with a man and another woman came into the bar room of Dora Garnett's place and commenced to abuse the latter, who ordered the two out several times but they refused to go, the other woman did finally leave the house. The two had some words when Dora Garnett pulled a six-shooter from behind the bar and fired two shots, one of which entered the side of the womon's neck and coming out at the back, the other missing its mark. The woman lived but a few minutes after being shot.—*Orb*

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain in the back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicans had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying Electric Bitters, and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement, I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents per bottle at all dealers in drugs and general merchandise.

Mr. A. Redewill returned from Sonora a day or so ago and reports that he sold as many pianos in Sonora (fifteen) in three weeks as he has sold in Phœnix in three months. He also sold a fine $1500 church organ of the famous Mason & Hamlin make, which is so deservedly popular. He says Sonora seems to be very prosperous at the present time, and her people want nothing but the best. That probably accounts for the way they fall over each other to buy from Redewill. When it comes to music trade and business in general, Redewill, is a natural born Svengali and prospective buyers cannot get away from him. —Phœnix *Herald*.

Bold Robbers are Frusterated.

At about 4 o'clock last evening 2 armed men took me by surprise while I was pumping water at the well, and with cocked revolvers informed me they were going to ransack the place. It scart me so I started to pray and just as I said "Now I lay me down to sleep" one of them punched me in the stomach with his gun and said: "You will do no sleeping or laying around here, show us your stuff." I said, "there is my hay press," He said, "what is that worth?" I said "$300.00." He said, "to cheap; we want high priced goods." I said there is my binder and 300 pounds of twine," "What is it worth?" "$80 00." He said, "Don't you fool with us, show us your stuff that is worth packing off." I said, "Yes sir, there is a cultivator and a corn planter," but when he was told the horrible low price of these things he turned his attention to my wagons, hay rakes and plows and when he discovered that these to I only asked a trifle for, he seemed almost disgusted, and as he turned around he spotted my barn yard full of fine stock and he exclaimed: "Now we have it," and with another punch he marched me to the barn yard and when he found I was selling the finest cows in the yard at $65 and heifers at $50 he turned his attention to my blooded horses and mares and when he found that they to, were below bed rock prices he turned to his partner and said: "Dock, when a man sells everything so cheap, its cheaper to buy than to steal and they left me standing in the barn yard half scart to death. If you dont believe it come up and see for yourself.

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